

STEEL TRUST SHUT OFF OPPOSITION

Minority Stockholders Went to the Annual Meeting Prepared to Make Trouble, but They Found Their Task Too Hard.

W. H. ALLEE LED WITH A DIG AT BOND CONVERSION PLAN

Made No Reflections on the Management, but Wanted Light and Was Refused—Women There to Protest.

Although about two hundred minority stockholders in the United States Steel Corporation attended the annual meeting at Hoboken to-day prepared to make trouble, they were so overwhelmingly outvoted by the administration that the bond conversion scheme and report upon plans to put the corporation on a firmer footing.

The cut-and-dried programme went through, despite efforts on the part of the minority holders to have an investigating committee appointed to investigate the bond conversion scheme and report upon plans to put the corporation on a firmer footing.

Women There to Protest. Albert H. Gary acted as chairman of the meeting, and Francis Lynde Stetson, of the Morgan firm, conducted matters on the floor. There were several women among the minority stockholders, and before the meeting they announced that they would be heard.

The first business after the calling of the meeting to order was the presentation of a resolution approving all contracts, obligations, agreements and other business transactions of the administration of the affairs of the corporation. It was a very sweeping resolution, commending the powers for everything done since the trust was organized.

A minority stockholder named Rooney arose to inquire what it was all about. He wanted to know what special actions were approved by the resolution. Mr. Stetson responded that for three months there has been ample opportunity for all stockholders to examine into the affairs of the corporation and ascertain just what had been done. He said that he did not think it necessary that the management should go into details at the meeting.

Allee Voted Down. "I didn't think you would respond," Mr. Rooney said, "and I am disappointed in the minority stockholders." W. H. Allee, executor of the estate of J. Edgar Allee, his father and a holder of stock, offered a resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of fifteen, free from the influence of the administrative powers in the corporation, to look into and report upon the bond conversion scheme, "which," explained Mr. Allee, "was tremendously profitable to its agents, and which was followed by a depression in the price of the common stock amounting in my case to a loss of 75 per cent. of my investment. I have no doubt that this stock will be valuable some day and I want to see no reflection on the management, but I believe that this committee should find out whether it was a business judgment, and that the committee should be continued to generally supervise the actions of the management authority."

Old Board Chosen. Chairman Gary, Mr. Stetson and others spoke on the resolution. Many of the minority stockholders favored it. Mr. Allee hoped to get it before the meeting on a viva-voce vote, and as the minority stockholders outnumbered the others one to two, he figured on getting recognition. Mr. Stetson moved that it be put to a stock vote, and insisted upon it. Chairman Gary agreed that this was proper and Mr. Allee's resolution was balloted on by those present on the basis of their holdings and proxies, with the result that it was smothered. W. E. Corey and John F. Dryden were selected directors of the first class in place of Alfred Clifford, resigned, and Abram S. Hewitt, deceased. Henry Phillips was elected a director of the third class in place of John D. Rockefeller, who resigned two months ago. The following directors of the third class were re-elected for a term of three years, expiring in 1907: J. Pierpont Morgan, H. H. Rogers, Albert H. Gary, George W. Perkins, Charles M. Schwab, Edmund C. Converse and James Gayley.

FIGHT WITH CRAZY MAN ON BROADWAY

Great Crowd Witnesses Struggle Between Two Men and Maniac—Seven Policemen Required to Subdue Him.

Struggling in the arms of six policemen and Sergeant Bauer, of the theatre squad, Andrew Donahoe, merchant tailor, of No. 123 West Fortieth street, gave upper Broadway a spectacular treat this afternoon. After being tied with rope the tailor was placed in an ambulance and taken to the New York Hospital, where he will be examined as to his sanity. The tailor first attacked his brother Hugh, and was severely mauling him in a fist fight before his place of business when Chester Johnson, an athletic gambler, removed his silk-lined overcoat and went to the rescue of the brother. Not only was the mill witnessed by a gigantic ring of spectators, but every window commanding a view of the ring was filled. The arrival of the police was timely. Johnson was nearly exhausted. Borne to the pavement by the big policeman, Donahoe cried out that he was a "son of a gun," and made other remarks which showed he was mentally unbalanced. The brother said the tailor had been dealing with religious mania for several weeks, but he first became violent today. Donahoe was carried into his store where he died, which he was hurt.

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Best White Gloss Laundry Starch, 1 lb. 4c.

Tomatoes—Choice quality ripe, red fruit, packed in large cans; 25c
3 cans for 75c

String Beans—Tender and fresh; 3 cans for 25c

Naked Beans—"Housekeeper's" brand, plain or in tomato sauce; a can 10c

Premium Chocolate—No. 1 quality, the best for cooking; 1/2 lb. 17c

Triumph Chocolate—Sweet vanilla; 1/2 lb. cake 5c

Corn Starch—"Peacocks," the most delicious; a package 9c

Corn Starch—"X-L-C-H," whole some and good; a package 6c

Prunes—Large and meaty, small pits, thin skinned—from the famous Santa Clara Valley, average 50 to the lb.; 3 lbs. for 25c

Rice—Best quality South Carolina head rice; 1 lb. carton 9c

Hominy—"Triumph," from best milled and kiln dried selected Southern corn; 1 lb. carton 15c

Campbell's Condensed Soups—Rich in nourishment, a choice assortment, all the best kinds; 3 cans for 25c

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Let THEM do the work for you.

Chank Soap—Concentrated cleanser, makes washing easy; 3 cakes 25c
Coney Island Soap—Makes the 25c dirt vanish; 15 cakes for 50c

Fairy Soap—In oval cakes, each 4c
Glennville Washing Powder—A splendid clothes cleanser, 4 lb. package, 15c; 1-lb. package, 2c
5c 2-oz. package 2c

Butler's Best Borax—The genuine article; beats them all; 4-lb. package 5c

Good Strong Ammonia—A large bottle for 5c

Azure Ball Blue—4-lb. box 8c

Butler's Potash—Concentrated lye from hard wood ashes, 1-lb. cans 8c

Chloride of Lime—in sifting cans, each 4c

Clothes Pins—100 for 9c

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Makes smoothest finish and ironing a pleasure. With handle attached, 4 for 5c.

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Blue Ribbon Salt—Free running table salt, in 2-lb. moisture proof cartons, each 5c

Celery Salt—Pure and full flavored, a bottle 10c

Lemon and Vanilla Extracts—"Peerless" brand, a bottle, 15c; "Our Own," a bottle, 10c; Eagle brand, a bottle 5c

Triumph Matches—All sure shots, 12 boxes for 10c

Blue Ribbon Jelly Powders—Chokeat fruit and wine flavors; strawberry, raspberry, lemon, orange, cherry, port and Madeira; unexcelled for desserts; a 10c package 10c

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Oak five drawer Chiffonier, full size, With plate mirror, 12x20. **\$5.98**

Apartment House Refrigerator, hardwood, 50 inches high, **\$8.40**

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